

Indicators of Success:

Elements of a Monitoring and Measurement Strategy for the OER Recommendation

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Capacity



- Initial and continual professional development courses include modules on using OER. These courses are open for teachers, instructors and librarians.
- Share of teachers (in the respective educational sectors) who have received OER training within the last two years

- Has training led to improved capacity? How can this be measured?
- Does improved capacity lead to change in practice?



Policy



- Regulations on the use of learning materials in educational settings make specific reference to OER and open licensing.
- Share of public contracts for learning materials requiring an open license.

 Are regulations being implemented and followed in practice? How do we know?



Quality, equity and inclusion



- Number / share of OER contained in national platforms, accessible in national language(s)
- Quality assurance procedures specifically mention OER and have been adapted to their properties

- Are QA procedures improving the quality of OER?
- Is availability leading to increased use? By whom?
- Does quality lead to improved learning outcomes? For whom?



Sustainable models



- Procedures exist to reward teachers and instructors for OER-based learning materials through time off or payment for this work.
- Number of research studies investigating the impact of OER on teaching and learning practices

- Are requirements and incentivization mechanisms effective? How would we know?
- Are research studies and evidence being used for advocacy? Is this advocacy effective? How would we know?



Mechanisms for Tracking Progress

- What systems are required to collect data on these indicators?
- Are there existing platforms or systems in place?
- Can new technologies and innovations be leveraged, i.e. Blockchain?
- How can we encourage reporting and make the process easier for partners?

